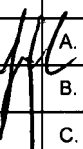

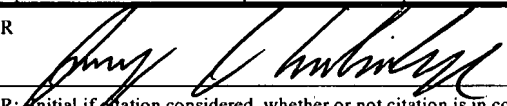


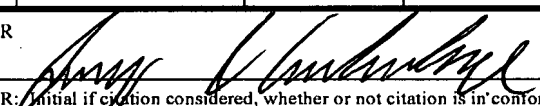
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C.	1,328,567	1/20/20	E.V. Jones			07/23/19
D.	1,709,691	4/16/29	Steuer			09/22/24
E.	2,176,042	10/10/39	Pittenger	128	272	06/25/36
F.	2,420,102	5/6/47	Shuford	128	249	07/27/45
G.	2,426,535	8/26/47	Turkel	128	2	10/21/44
H.	2,573,547	10/30/51	Crowell	32	60	04/10/46
I.	3,384,274	5/21/68	Lundvall	222	383	06/07/66
J.	3,581,399	6/1/71	Dragan	32	60	08/08/69
K.	3,701,771	10/31/72	Almen et al.	260	211	06/26/70
L.	3,750,667	8/7/73	Pshenichny et al.	128	215	01/31/72
M.	3,835,860	9/17/74	Garretson	128	310	06/21/73
N.	3,882,858	5/13/75	Klemm	128	92	04/17/74
O.	3,900,954	8/26/75	Dragan	32	60	07/10/74
P.	3,919,773	11/18/75	Freeman	32	10	12/20/73
Q.	3,993,065	11/23/76	Szabo et al.	604	154	05/20/75
R.	4,011,685	3/1/77	Boyd et al.	47	57.5	12/22/75
S.	4,011,869	3/15/77	Seiler, Jr.	604	22	08/01/75
T.	4,032,118	6/28/77	Phillips, Edwin	366	251	10/21/75
U.	4,079,518	3/21/78	Marshall	433	89	07/01/76
V.	4,091,812	5/30/78	Helixon et al.	604	208	01/19/76
W.	4,099,518	7/11/78	Baylis et al.	600	567	05/10/76
X.	4,189,065	2/19/80	Herold	222	46	01/24/77
Y.	4,232,670	11/11/80	Richter et al.	604	218	05/24/79
Z.	4,274,163	6/23/81	Malcom et al.	606	94	07/16/79
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	E.	4,373,217	2/15/83	Draenert	623	23.62	02/15/80
	F.	4,404,327	9/13/83	Crugnola et al.	525	228	03/01/82
	G.	4,469,109	9/4/84	Mehl	600	566	12/24/81
	H.	4,551,135	11/5/85	Gorman et al.	604	82	05/19/82
	I.	4,554,686	11/26/85	Banker	606	92	02/29/84
	J.	4,576,152	3/18/86	Muller et al.	606	93	10/18/83
	K.	4,585,035	4/29/86	Piccoli	138	127	12/19/83
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	Q.	4,670,008	6/2/87	Von Albertini	604	165	07/01/85
	R.	4,671,263	6/9/87	Draenert	606	94	07/09/85
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U.	4,728,570	3/1/88	Ashman et al.	428	327	10/29/85	
V.	4,769,011	9/6/88	Swaniger	604	218	03/28/85	
W.	4,776,704	10/11/88	Kopunek et al.	366	184	12/15/86	
X.	4,791,150	12/13/88	Braden et al.	523	117	09/30/86	
Y.	4,793,363	12/27/88	Ausherman et al.	600	567	09/11/86	
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	K.	5,376,094	12/27/94	Kline	606	113	08/19/93
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E.	5,603,701	2/18/97	Fischer, David	604	211	05/15/96
F.	5,637,087	6/10/97	O'Neil et al.	604	82	03/22/95
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R.	5,788,702	8/4/98	Draenert	606	92	09/05/97
S.	5,792,478	8/11/98	Lawn et al.	424	502	07/08/96
T.	5,795,922	8/18/98	Demian et al.	523	117	06/06/95
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W.	5,824,087	10/20/98	Aspden et al.	606	94	01/21/97
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G.	5,984,897	11/16/99	Petersen et al.	604	187	10/13/95
H.	5,997,485	12/7/99	Ahmadzadeh	600	567	03/22/95
I.	5,997,512	12/7/99	Shaw	604	195	03/04/98
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R.	6,042,262	3/28/00	Hajianpour	366	139	09/16/97
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C.	2004/0073139	8/15/04	Hirsch et al.	600	564	10/11/02	
D.	2004/0193171	9/30/04	DiMauro et al.	606	93	03/31/03	
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